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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Colemon, J.	Examiner:	Phan, J.
Application No: 09/967,108	Art Unit:	2645
Filed: September 28, 2001) 	
For: Intelligent Forwarded Call Handling)		RECEIVED
with a Call Answering System		NOV 2 1 2002
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Box Non-Fee Amendment Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 27, 2002, applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendment and to consider the following remark.

AMENDMENT

In the claims:

Presented below are the claims, as amended, with changes entered and not marked.

1 (Amended) A method comprising:

receiving an incoming call at a port of an automated attendant from a telephone

3 switch;